



To: All Vermont Medicaid PIP/EHRIP participants
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To All Vermont Medicaid Promoting Interoperability/EHR Incentive Program participants:

CONCLUDING PY2018 REVIEWS AND PAYMENTS

Thank you for your patience as the PIP/EHRIP Team reviewed Program Year 2018 applications. All submissions have received their initial reviews, and have either been approved for further processing, or are awaiting receipt of corrections or additional documentation. If you have received a request information, please respond promptly so that we may finalize all payments.

PLAN NOW TO MAXIMIZE MU3 THRESHOLDS

All providers applying for Program Year 2019 PIP/EHRIP payments will need to meet Meaningful Use Stage 3 criteria. Some familiar measures have **higher thresholds**, and some measures are **new**. Develop a plan now to review your progress, so that any needed clinical workflow adjustments are in place in time for the final 90-day reporting period of the year, 10/3/19 – 12/31/19. Also, attesting to the Public Health Reporting will be **different** from past Program Years, so be sure to review the requirements for [Vermont](#) and [New Hampshire](#) Eligible Professionals.

INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE FOR PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

The Vermont Medicaid PIP/EHRIP Team is ready to answer all your questions regarding ongoing participation in PY2019. We have guidance and documentation aids posted at our [PY2019 webpage](#) to help you understand the details of Meaningful Use Stage 3 criteria, as well as the other requirements for PY2019 applications. We encourage you to schedule a consultation with us, to step through the unique details of your organization, your Eligible Professionals' past attestation history, and to maximize the number EPs who are qualified to continue receiving payments through 2021. Send us an email at: ahs.dvhaEHRIP@vermont.gov

Thank you,
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